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Title

Voice Controller And Voice-Controller System Having A Voice-

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Application DE 40 29 697 A1 (Kimura), dated July 4, 1991, voice-controlled remote control system;

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Application DE 197 48 267 A1 (Kaiser), dated June 17, 1999, voice-controlled remote control;

If no translation of pertinent portions of any foreign language patents or publications mentioned above is included with the aforementioned copies of those applications,

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Respectfully submitted,

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